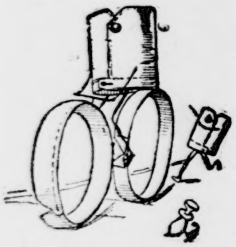


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City Council.

Doings of Our City Dads at Their Last Regular Meeting on Monday Night.

Council met in the Council chambers at 8:30. Present, Alds. Gibson, Caldwell, Christie, Cameron, Merritt, Spencer, Russell, and Hanbury. Mayor McDonald in the chair.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and confirmed.

Committee on finance presented their report and recommended that the following be paid:

Mull Pz. Co. \$13.50.
R. P. Richards 25.00.
Mr. Kavanagh 10.00.
Mr. Douglas 23.00.

Communication from J. R. Malchow re insurance on city buildings. After a pointed discussion by Alds. Caldwell and Christie and others of the worthy "blads," with sundry motions and objections, the report was finally adopted.

Communication from E. M. Renolds filed.

Resolution appointing the Chief of Police License Inspector, adopted.

Recommended that the City Hall be let to the Congregational Church at the rate of \$85 per year.

Committee on Fire, Water and Light reported and recommended that the following be paid:

Mrs. Chubb 8.25.
Mrs. Malless 6.35.
W. Wilson 5.50.
Adopted.

Committee on permits reported and recommended that the applications of S. M. Smyth, A. R. Bradford and W. H. McIntyre be granted. Application of A. W. Brain was referred back to committee and adopted.

Committee on License recommended that constable Hanna receive a new uniform and that the request of the Chief of Police, re furniture for his room be granted.

That the Times Printing Co. be paid the sum of \$1.25. Report adopted.

Committee on Board of Works reported submitted the following to be paid:

Stanley's pay sheet \$827.60.
W. 5.50.
Maywood 29.67.
Bately 12.78.
Clark 7.00.
Wilson & Co. 18.57.
Wilson & Co. 108.00.
Malabar 4.37.

Communications from J. T. Somerville, H. Bradford and others filed.

Recommended that the chairman of the Board of Works be instructed to give proper levels to parties wishing to build.

Report adopted.

Report of committee on Waterworks recommending the following to be paid:

McElvride & Lane \$63.00.
" 102.00.
" 14.00.
" 8.35.
Board of Works 8.00.
Report adopted.

There were numerous inquiries regarding the laying of the water pipes, and about telephone and electric light poles and wires, all of which were answered satisfactorily.

Motion.

Moved and seconded that Ald. Cameron be appointed to fill all the offices made vacant by resignation of Ald. McIntyre. Carried.

Moved and seconded that tenders be asked for contract for scavenger work, tenders to be in by the first of June.

That the city be divided into two districts one east and one west of 9th street, and that parties may tender for one or both districts.

By laws.

By-law No. 329, controlling, regulating and licensing butchers, received three readings and was passed. This by-law imposes a tax of \$200 on all butchers in the city, the city, however, paying the license fee on the stalls in the Market building.

By-law No. 340, authorizing the payment of \$112.50 to E. O. Bailey as compensation for the loss of two mules, which were destroyed by order of the City Veterinary, was read three times and passed.

ALQUOR CASE.

The First Conviction Under the Northwest License Law Recorded Against a Winnipeg Firm.

Calgary, May 12.—Magistrates Murdoch and Boswell delivered judgment in the case of the Velle-Carey company, of Winnipeg, to-day. They held that the defendants were guilty of an infraction of the Territorial License Law, and imposed a fine of \$50 and \$30 costs. A car load of liquor belonging to the firm has also been confiscated. The evidence in the case will probably be submitted to Judge Rouleau and his decision taken in the matter.

Hands-on Fowls.

A bird of beauty is a joy forever. Offspring from poor blood has many imperfections from first appear. The chickens may outgrow them, but the offspring of such birds will generally repeat the blamish.

J. C. Harrison.

Wall Paper.

The stock of the city is now open at Cliffe's bookstore, 2nd street and Rosser Avenue. All other dealers are distanced in price, taking quality into account. Remember you can save 20% by buying at Cliffe's.

Donations.

The Secy. of the Brandon General Hospital gratefully acknowledges the following donations: from the Women's Hospital Aid Society: Miss. Kirchhoff, Fancy Work. Mr. Somerville, Lamp. Mr. Gowdy, pair of Vases. Miss. Scott, Towel rings. Mrs. Pickett, 2 Pillows. Mrs. McTavish, Chair, 2 Pillows. Mrs. G. McLean, 2 Pillows. Mrs. McQueen, 2 Pillow Cases. Mrs. McPhee, Feathers. Mrs. Richards, Chair, Feathers. Mrs. Currie, Chair, Feathers.

A Canadian Novel.

The Toronto News Company will during May place upon the market a Canadian romance from the pen of Mr. Thad. W. H. Layton of Toronto. The title of the book is "The Witch of Plum Hollow," the scene being laid upon the banks of the Thousand Islands, where Blue John, the heroine, was born.

Buying Young Chickens.

Young chickens between six and twelve weeks old can be safely shipped to any part of the country. Of course they are taken just as they run, the purchaser taking his chances. pullets and cockerels. At that stage they can be bought at half the price that will be asked for large chickens in the fall. A coop for a dozen chickens does not weigh more than a box for a full grown fowl which is a fact much clear gain on the express companies.

Brandon Market Prices.

The markets are very quiet this week, owing to farmers being engaged in seeding.

The following is a list of prices:

Wheat No. 1 Hard	58c
Barley	18c
Potatoes	60.35c
Turnips	15c
Flour per 100 lbs	2.25c
Bean per ton	11.00
Shirts per ton	3.50
Beef (live weight)	3.50
Beef (dressed)	5.00
Pork	6.00
Mutton	5.00
Chickens	9.00
Goose	10.00
Butter (graded)	18.00
Eggs	12.00
Hay per ton	9.00-11.00
Calves	8.00-10.00
Hides	

Interesting Experiments.

St. Louis, May 13.—Two very interesting postal experiments are being tried in this city, and upon their results will depend the introduction of some very radical changes in the National postal system. Work is in progress on a system of pneumatic tubes for the prompt delivery of postal matter. Each tube is to be double, and the experimental one will be a double tube from the post office, a distance of three thousand feet, and it will be easy to send matter from end to end in the space of one minute. This is the first experiment, with pneumatic postal tubes, in this country, and the result is looked forward to with much interest by Mr. Wamankar and others. Another experiment, the preliminaries of which have just been completed, is a lock-box to be placed on the doors of private houses so arranged that not only the letter when passing, but he will also collect whatever mail the occupants of the house desire to despatch. Each box has a tablet which can be seen at a distance of 100 feet, notifying the carrier whether there is any mail for him to collect. Forty boxes have so far been in operation, and 100 more boxes were put in position to-day. Postmaster Harlow is confident the experiment will be a success, and that it will effect both a saving to the department and a great convenience to the public generally.

Teachers' Institute.

The city was alive with teachers last week attending the institute. The following programme was fully gone into: Thursday, May 12.—10 a. m., addresses by Inspectors McLean and Lang; 11 a. m., Penmanship, W. A. McIntyre, provincial Normal school; 1:30 p. m., How to teach division, Miss Bella Smith, Brandon; 2:15 p. m., Geography, junior classes, W. A. McIntyre; 3:15 p. m., Odds and Ends in School Life, W. P. Argue, Brandon; 4 p. m., Question Drawer.

Friday, May 13.—9:30 a. m., Discipline, Miss Hamilton; 10:15 a. m., Primary Reading, W. A. McIntyre; 11:15 a. m., Lesson in Primary Reading, Miss L. Smith, Brandon; 1:30 p. m., paper, Inspector Lang; 2:15, Geography, senior classes, W. A. McIntyre; 3:15, Busy Work, Miss Preston; 4, Relation between Trustees and Teachers.

Saturday, May 14.—9:30 a. m., paper, C. L. Davidson, Principal, Brandon; 10:15 a. m., A Guiding Principle in Teaching, W. A. McIntyre; 11:15 a. m., Number, W. A. McIntyre; 2:30, Methods in Arithmetic, Inspector McLean; 3:15, Question Drawer.

A colored man took an oath in a Kansas court the other day that he was 170 years old.

I. R. STROME & CO.

Thursday, Friday & Saturday,

12th, 13th and 14th,

3 DAYS! ONLY 3!

Great specials arrived at Strome & Co's, for the slaughter sale days, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Six hundred yds. of job Flannellettes at 5c. per yd for 3 days, 12th, 13th and 14th. Seven hundred yds. of A 1 beautiful fast colors American Prints at 6 1/2c. per yd., for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. These goods are bargains at 10c. to 12 1/2c. per yd., but under the sledge hammer price for 3 days. Remember all goods mentioned here are for spot cash only at the prices mentioned. If booked, full prices will be charged in all cases—understand no finching from these rules. Five hundred yds. of 50c. Alapaca Dress Goods to be sacrificed at 35c. per yd. for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. This is the biggest drive ever given in Dress Goods in Brandon. It sends out of sight even the 5c. Flannellette which are usually sold at 10c. per yd. Do not expect to get these goods at the prices quoted at any other time than Thursday the 12th, Friday the 13th and Saturday the 14th. We do just what we say, no more or less; any proposition contrary to these rules will be promptly refused.

Three hundred yds. of 40c. Sateens, the finest goods in the market, to be sold at just half price, 20c. per yd. for Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Four hundred assorted Gent's Ties, your choice on the 12th, 13th, and 14th for 25c. each. Four hundred Men's Tweed, worsted and Serge Suits at 22 1/2 per cent. discount on regular selling price—sizes from 36 to 44, 3 days only.

A \$600 Suit will cost you \$1.65; an \$8.00 suit for \$6.20; a \$10.00 suit for \$7.75 and so on.

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3 DAYS.

RUSSIA'S FEARFUL PLIGHT.

Hundreds of Thousands of People Who Have Nothing to Eat.

How real is Russia's famine is shown in a letter from an English correspondent to the London Daily News, who, writing on Christmas day from Ellzabethgrad, in southern Russia, two hundred miles northeast of Odessa, says: "It is now certain that the state of the peasants in the famine districts of the empire is extremely serious, and that only extraordinary measures can save the people from starvation or complete ruin. Fifty-five millions of rubles have already been assigned by the government for the preservation of the hungry, but this sum is exhausted, and a fresh amount is to be given for the seed time of next spring. The offerings of private persons are very considerable. The poorest, as a rule, give the most. In a great many villages in which the crops have been satisfactory the peasants have sent half of their way to the sufferers. Even the Russian soldier, who, as is well known, has very little, gives away a portion of what he receives. In one village, in which I stopped on my way, there were only three families among fifty who had any bread at all, and during one hour these three houses were besieged by two hundred men, women and children, each of whom received something. The givers gave no heed to their own prospects, although they well knew that after a couple of weeks they will themselves have to beg for bread from one village to another. This act of charity made an impression upon me that will never be effaced.

LITERARY SMALL TALK.

A CENTURY ago there were only fourteen newspapers in London.

M. JERES LEVATINE makes the cheerful prediction that by the year 2000 there will be no more poets.

A RESIDENT of Manchester, Eng., has a Bible two hundred years old, which is two feet long and about the same in width.

In consequence of a recent verdict against a publishing firm, it is said that some London publishers talk of requiring indemnity from authors against proceedings for libel.

The Portland Press club has one of the oddities provided by the Maine legislature for reporters when the seat of government was removed from Portland to Augusta in 1822. James G. Blaine, Chief Justice Fuller and other eminent Maine men used the desk while they were reporters.

DYING BY INCHES.

How a Man Felt Who Suffered from Progressive Paralysis.

A Los Angeles physician told us the other day, says the Panama Progress, that the most trying time in all his experience was during the past few weeks, when he stood helplessly by and saw a poor ranchman near Puente die by inches of what is known as progressive paralysis.

The patient was first taken in one big toe. In a short time the limbs were paralyzed to the knee. Two physicians were called, and all the known remedies were applied to stay the progress of the debauching attack, but in vain. Hour by hour death moved on its victim. The patient was propped up in an armchair, and fully realized his condition. He awaited the end with the wisdom and bravery of a martyr. As the line of death crept nearer and nearer his heart beat made calculations as to how much longer he could live. He said: "Now it has reached the body," indicating the exact place with his finger. In a little while he said: "It has reached the bottom of my lungs." Another short wait and he said faintly: "It has touched my heart," and he fell over dead.

Kissing Away a Church Debt.

"You may kiss me for twenty-five cents" was the legend borne on six cards suspended by six strings tied around the necks of six pretty girls at a church fair at Barnes, Mich., one night lately. When the curtain was drawn displaying the aggregation of tempting sweetness within the reach of all who possessed the necessary quarter, there was a temporary, painful, blushing pause, giggling, and a jingle of coins. The show lasted only a few minutes, owing to the objections of some of the matrons present, but the church debt was paid.

A New Disinfectant.

The manufacture of a new disinfectant and deodorant called sanidin has been commenced at Maryhill, Eng. It is a residual product of an unseasoned kind of black-wood, which is composed of animal and vegetable remains, is a colorless liquid and is a powerful preservative of heavy water oil. The oil is concentrated by distillation, and the residual product is removed to grains of different sizes, varying from a fine powder to the size of a pea. The powder is claimed to have an instantaneous effect upon obnoxious matter, while also being tasteless and harmless to all animal life.

RUSSIAN ATROCITIES.

Striking Workmen Make a Brutal Attack on Hebrew Citizens and are Abetted by the Military.

VICHA, May 12.—Frightful accounts have been received of the atrocities of the rioters at Loda. Nearly all the Jews killed were mutilated in a horrible manner. One of the victims was dragged around the streets by the legs, both his arms having been severed from the body. The soldiers, when they came to quell the riots, abused themselves by striking bayonets into the wounded Hebrews and killing some of them. The popular continued their outrages long after the soldiers had arrived and hardly a house inhabited by Hebrews was left standing. When the military, at the instance of the factory owners, at length undertook to suppress the riots, which involved the destruction of the whole town, they drove all the Hebrews they could capture together into captivity, along with the leaders of the riots, and kept them prisoners. Park was the only food served out to the captives and many of the Hebrews preferred to starve rather than eat it. This is said to have been done intentionally by the Russian military authorities. The rioters were reluctant to yield to the soldiers, and this brought severe punishment on some of them. Several hundred of the strikers are now held as prisoners, and the ringleaders will probably be tried by court martial. The news of the riot has caused great excitement in Warsaw and other places where the anti Jewish feeling is already strong and more outbreaks are feared.

HISTORY REPEATS ITSELF.

In 1888, Henry of Albion, in an encyclical letter, wrote as follows:

"The triumph of the Prince of Darkness is to be expected in view of the depravity of the clergy, their luxury, their gluttony, their disregard of the facts their holding of pluralities, their hunting, hawking and gambling, their trading and their quarrelling and all of all their incontinence because the wrath of God is provoked to the highest degree and the worst scandals are created."

The Memphis correspondent to the Boston Herald of April 21, 1894, says:

"On Wednesday a young man, a tall, slender, well-dressed man, named Charles Reinhold, was arrested for trying to beat a man out of \$20. He was not presented, and to-day he was discharged on the promise to leave the city."

"The reason the prosecuting witness did not show up was because he was a priest in ordination, named Father McMahon. Father McMahon is going from city to city soliciting subscriptions to repair an old dilapidated church in County Down, Ireland. He preached in aid of his mission to America in St. Peter's cathedral last Sunday and he got a good collection."

"The man seen loitering on the fly, pretty lively all through the meeting, twelve or fifteen, came to Reinhold, five and ten cent on a time. He has two or three, as he said, by a last point and two other points, one from Jackson, Tenn. They have been playing the race daily."

"Father Moore, ministering priest of St. Peter's, who is latterly expected to gamble and drinking among the laity, is expected at the meeting, probably in these stages, and all of the clicking laity of one of them."

"He addressed a letter to Bishop Rahm, archbishop, exposing the recent letters, and now shaking up in clerical circles is expected to occur in a few days."

"History has a great track of repeating itself, especially in the South."

THE FLOOD IN THE SOUTH.

Important Texas Break.

New Orleans, May 12.—The Plaquemine, a Vicksburg special says: "From passengers by the Atchafalaya from city of Providence who returned from above only yesterday morning, it is learned that the break in the Atchafalaya levee, which occurred Monday is widening rapidly. Last night at dark it was 1200 feet wide and widening fast, the water going through, being six feet deep. The water from this break has found its way into Ohio bay, then into Mississippi bay, which connects Grand Lake and Bayou Masson, and will overflow all lands adjacent to Bayou Masson, East Carroll, and a portion of Madison Parish. The steamer Shaw, which arrived this morning, reports that the levee at upper St. Joseph broke yesterday in front of the residence of Robert Worrell, and at dark last night the water was two and a half feet deep in Worrell's residence."

Uses for Sawdust.

The time seems near at hand when sawdust will no longer be considered fit only for the refuse burner or as a sweep filler. An electric corporation in Oregon has located near large sawmills, from which carriers convey sawdust to the boilers of the electric company. With this as fuel the electricity will be generated. Not only is it a valuable fuel, but it seems likely to become a valuable building material. A Frenchman has discovered that sawdust makes a good substitute for hair in plaster. Sawdust can also be made into fireproof brick by mixing with certain refuse, mixing and pressing into bricks. These bricks are said to be light, impervious to wet and utterly inflammable. It is possible that in the near future the sawdust will be worth as much as the lumber.—Minneapolis Lumberman.

The oath he charge that our schools are godless," said Rev. O. Murray, of Chicago in a recent sermon. "If that charge is true, I would like to know who made that godless, since it is estimated that 65 per cent of the teachers in our schools are Catholics. You might better put wolves to guard sheep hyenas to guard a graveyard, to guard to teach a powder mill, and devils to teach the angelic choir to sing, than trust the schools to the care of Jesuit teachers. It is time that we realized what the alien force in our land is about and I charge you all to be on your guard."—The Patriotic American.

THE REBELS WERE ROUTED.

A Big Loss of Troops.

New York, May 11.—The Herald's Caracas special says an engagement was fought last Saturday, a few miles south of Los Teques, between 400 government troops and 350 insurgents mounted on mustangs and armed with lances. The government troops were escorting a party of engineers to repair the roads to Victoria and establish communications between there and Caracas previous to the forwarding of troops and provisions to aid the former town. The rebels were defeated and left a third of their dead and dying on the field. They retreated to the hills. The government troops' loss was 25 killed and 12 injured. The government troops were under the command of an American who was sent away from West Point before his term of study was completed for acts of insubordination.

DO THEY BELIEVE IT.

The Shepherd of the Valley says: "If your son or daughter is attending a state school, you may be as certain that you are violating your duty as Catholic parents and conducting to the everlasting anguish and despair of your oath of it. Take him away from him rather never know how to write his name, than become the bound and chained slave of Satan."

The Chicago Tablet says: "The common schools of this country are sinks of moral pollution and nurseries of hell."

The Colorado Catholic says: "The hideous fetich, called the public school, is only an ugly idol after all."

Criminal McCloskey says: "We must take part in the elections. More to solid mass in every state against the party pledged to sustain the integrity of the public schools."

The Freeman's Journal says: "These public schools are a monstrous lie and pits of destruction; they ought to go back to the devil from whence they came."

MOOSOMIN THEATRICALS.

Very Successful Entertainment by Local Amateurs—\$60 Realized.

Moosomin, May 6.—On Wednesday last the 4th inst. at the opera hall recently erected by R. B. McLaughlin, an entertainment of a very superior class was given in aid of the funds for the building of a church at Wapella and the people of Moosomin enjoyed one of the best dramatic presentations ever put on the stage in the Territories, whether by professionals or amateurs. The bill of fare included the well-known and always appreciated comedians, "The Happy Pair," a variety of excellent songs and recitations, and the farcical comedy, "My Lord in Livery." Of the rendering of the songs, etc., it would be individual to praise one performer more than another. It is sufficient to say that this part of the programme was well sustained and received the well merited applause of an appreciative audience. The entertainment commenced with "The Happy Pair," the parts of Mr. and Mrs. Robinson being taken by Mr. Thompson and Mrs. W. H. Hull, both of whom had most carefully studied their parts, and the dialogue and business were consequently smart and effective, all the good points being, indeed, Mrs. Hull excelled herself in the grand climax where Mrs. Robinson, throwing off the previously assumed mask of mildness, delta her long hair, and after an interlude of music, songs, recitations, etc., came the farce "My Lord in Livery," in which Mr. Wyssman as "Suggitt" fairly brought down the house, his long humor, unrelenting under up and down, being particularly good. In this he was well backed up by Mr. Percy Gough, who made a most successful debut on the stage in this "My Lord in Livery."

BRUTAL DOUBLE MURDER.

Two Females Pounded to Death in Iowa.

Corning, Ia., May 12.—Word reached this city of a horrible murder near Prescott, a small town seven miles of this city. Wm. Coons, a farmer and an old respected resident of this country, left his home on business, leaving his wife and daughter and a hired man named Daley at home. Mr. Coons returned about four o'clock yesterday to find the horribly mangled remains of his wife and daughter, who had recently been beaten to death with a club. Daley has disappeared, as also a team belonging to Coons. Suspicion points to him as being the murderer. The neighborhood is wild with excitement and a lynching will surely result if the guilty man is found.

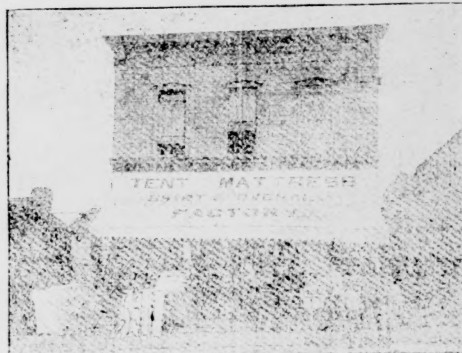
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Edmonton Lands AUCTION SALE.

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TERMS OF SALE.

The lands will be put up at an upset price of \$3.00 an acre, and sold to the highest bidder. One tenth of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale. The balance in nine annual instalments, with interest at six per cent. Deferred payments payable on the 1st November of each year; let of such payments due last November, 1891. This gives eighteen months to make up second payment. Coal and other minerals and right of way reserved.

C. P. R. EXCURSION RATES.

Intending buyers can purchase tickets at Winnipeg, Portage la Prairie, Brandon, Mooseman, Regina and Moose Jaw for the trains leaving Winnipeg on April 26th and 29th, and at Calgary on April 28th and May 2nd, at a single fare for the round trip. The tickets will be available for return by any train leaving Edmonton up to May 18th, the tickets being good for one continuous passage only in both directions. No stop overs allowed. Should the holders of these tickets purchase lands from the company at the auction sale, the amount paid for such ticket will be credited on the land purchase.

For maps of the Edmonton lands and the Saskatchewan Valley apply to the auctioneers, FITZGERALD & LUCAS, Calgary, or to

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